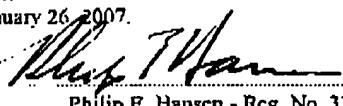


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)		Docket No. 2099.006B			
In Re Application Of: Michels et al.					
Application No. 10/638,841	Filing Date 08/11/2003	Examiner Celia C. Chang	Customer No. 23405	Group Art Unit 1625	Confirmation No. 4458
Invention: Process for the Production of Piperidine Derivatives with Microorganisms					
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>09/18/2006</u> in the above-identified application.					
Action of <u>09/18/2006</u> in the above-identified application. <i>Date</i>					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):					
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from: <u>December 18, 2006</u> <i>Date</i>			until: <u>February 18, 2007</u> <i>Date</i>		
The fee for the extension of time is \$330.00, which is the difference between a previously paid 1 month extension of time and the currently requested 2 month extension of time, to be paid as follows:					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-1935 <input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 08-1935 <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.					
 <i>Signature</i>			Dated: January 26, 2007		
<p>Philip E. Hansen, Reg. No. 32,700 Agent for Applicants Heslin Rothenberg Farley & Mesiti, P.C. 5 Columbia Circle Albany, New York 12203 Phone: (318) 452-5600 Facsimile: (318) 452-5579</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via facsimile to (571) 273-8300, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, United States Patent and Trademark Office, on January 26, 2007.</p> <p> Philip E. Hansen - Reg. No. 32,700</p> </div>					
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